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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Gregory V. Madden
Shinichi Koyama)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2622
Application No.: 10/055,902)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 2051
Filed: January 28, 2002)	
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For: IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS)	
AND METHOD FOR THE OUTPUT OF AV	:	
DATA AND THE CONTROL OF THE)	
OUTPUT OF AV DATA TO AN EXTERNAL	:	
STORAGE DEVICE (AS AMENDED))	September 19, 2007

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SECOND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents, other than U.S. patent documents, are enclosed.

REMARKS

The following documents were cited in a September 11, 2007 Japanese Official Action (copy attached, with English-language partial translation) in a foreign counterpart application corresponding to the subject application:

- (1) JP-A 07-154729;
- (2) JP-A 03-277079;

(3) JP-A 11-308568; and

(4) JP-A 2000-066774.

English-language Abstracts for Document (1) - (4), provided by Applicant, are also enclosed, along with machine translations of Documents (1), (3), and (4). Applicant submits that US 5,206,739 (which is of record) and US 6,412,076 B1 are counterparts to Documents (2) and (4), respectively.

FORMAL MATTERS

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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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